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Title: QUICK-MOUNT & PIVOT BASE FOR BICYCLE SEAT OR THE LIKE

Attorney Docket No.: 035586-2002

Attached please find the response to Office Action dated January 6, 2003 for application No. 09/668,042, together with an Amendment Transmittal and a Change of Correspondence Address Application.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity statement previously submitted.
- ☐ Small Entity statement is enclosed.
- ☐ The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

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